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CLONED GENES USING A CASCADE
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Sir,

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT NO. 1

Prior to examination, please amend the application as provided below:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel all of the claims, claims 1 through 16.

Please add the following claims, claims 17 through 47.

Thus, claims 17 through 47 are pending upon entry of this amendment.

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